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# REPORT ON WORK BEING DONE ON BENCHMARKS AND INDICATORS TO MEASURE PROGRESS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION

Following deliberations in Working Group II at the eighth session of the INCD, the Secretariat was requested to provide information on work being done on benchmarks and indicators to measure progress in the implementation of the Convention. Such information will facilitate further discussion of a draft decision on the communication of information and review of implementation, particularly with regard to the format and contents of reports.

The Secretariat has asked the Observatoire du Sahara et du Sahel and a consultant to prepare reports on the work being done. The reports will be made available to INCD members at the ninth session in the form of a Conference room paper (CRP).

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